

Express Mail Label No. EM 014767455 US

PTO/SB/08A (10-01)

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449/PTO				<b>Complete if known</b>	
<b>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT</b>  (use as many sheets as necessary)				<b>Application Number</b>	09/825,537
				<b>Filing Date</b>	April 2, 2001
				<b>First Named Inventor</b>	Masood Garahi et al.
				<b>Art Unit</b>	3692
				<b>Examiner Name</b>	Nga B. Nguyen
<b>Sheet</b>	1	<b>of</b>	1	<b>Attorney Docket Number</b>	ODS-025

**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

Examiner initials*	Cite No. <sup>1</sup>	Document Number Number - Kind Code <sup>2</sup> (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Documents	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		4,001,551	Hirsimaki	01-04-1977	
		4,842,278	Markowicz	06-27-1989	
		5,280,915	Groussman	01-25-1994	
		5,758,328	Giovannoli	05-26-1998	
		5,851,149	Xidos et al.	12-22-1998	
		6,320,868	Okano et al.	11-20-2001	
		6,722,980	Stronach	04-20-2004	

**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

Examiner initials*	Cite No. <sup>1</sup>	Foreign Patent Document Country Code <sup>1</sup> - Number <sup>2</sup> - Kind Code <sup>3</sup>	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Documents	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T <sup>6</sup>
		WO 97/01145	01-09-1997	IBT Australia PYT, Limited		
		WO 97/28636	08-07-1997	Eurospill International A/S		
		WO 00/67215	11-09-2000	Stronach		
		WO 00/77752	12-21-2000	ODS Technologies, L.P.		

**NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS**

Examiner initials*	Cite No. <sup>1</sup>	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published	T <sup>6</sup>
		John Scarne, "Scarne's New Complete Guide to Gambling," 1974, Pgs. 32-108.	


/Nga Nguyen/ (06/21/2008)

\* EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered.

Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

<sup>1</sup> Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). <sup>2</sup> See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. <sup>3</sup> Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). <sup>4</sup> For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. <sup>5</sup> Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. <sup>6</sup> Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language translation is attached.

ALL REFERENCES CONSIDERED EXCEPT WHERE LINED THROUGH. /N.N./

FORM PTO 1449 	U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANTS	ATTY. DOCKET NO. ODS/025	APPLICATION NO. 09/825,537
		APPLICANTS Masood Garahi et al.	CONFIRMATION NO. 9788
		FILING DATE April 2, 2001	GROUP ART UNIT 2164

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	5,830,068	11/03/98	Brenner et al.	463	42	
	5,564,977	10/15/96	Algie	463	25	
	5,415,416	05/16/95	Scagnelli et al.	273	439	
	5,408,417	04/18/95	Wilder	364	479	
	5,249,044	09/28/93	Von Kohorn	358	86	
	5,233,654	08/03/93	Harvey et al.	380	20	
	5,227,874	07/13/93	Von Kohorn	358	84	
	5,083,800	01/28/92	Lockton	273	439	
	5,083,271	01/21/92	Thacher et al.	364	411	
	4,799,683	01/24/89	Bruner Jr.	273	138 A	
	4,706,121	11/10/87	Young	358	142	
	4,704,725	11/03/87	Harvey et al.	380	9	

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
						YES	NO
	2 300 535 A	11/06/96	UK	H04N	5/262		
	WO 95/01058	01/05/95	PCT	H04N	7/16		
	0 624 039 A2	11/09/94	EPO	H04N	7/173		
	0 620 688 A2	10/19/94	EPO	H04N	7/14		

EXAMINER

/Nga Nguyen/ (06/21/2008)

DATE CONSIDERED

EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP § 609; Draw line through citation if not conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicants.

ALL REFERENCES CONSIDERED EXCEPT WHERE LINED THROUGH. /N.N./

FORM PTO-1449

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICEATTY. DOCKET NO.  
ODS/025APPLICATION NO.  
09/825,537INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT BY APPLICANTSAPPLICANTS  
Masood Garahi et al.CONFIRMATION NO.  
9788FILING DATE  
April 2, 2001GROUP ART UNIT  
2164

## OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

EXAMINER INITIAL	
	You Bet Help File, Youbet.com, Inc., Los Angeles, California, last modified July 11, 1998, pp. 1-132
	Maury Wolff, "Interactive Wagering A Good Bet," Daily Racing Form, January 29, 1995, p. 4
	John Burgess, "And We're Off To The Races!" The Washington Post, January 16, 1995, pp. 18-19
	Ross Peddicord, "New On TV: You Bet Your Horse," The Sun, Baltimore, Maryland, December 15, 1994
	Yee-Hsiang Chang et al., "An Open-Systems Approach To Video On Demand," IEEE Communications Magazine, May 1994, pp. 68-80
	TrackMaster User's Guide Version 2.0.7, April, 1994, AXCIS Pocket Information Network, Inc., Santa Clara, California, pp. 1-122
	Tiny Tim Brochure, AutoTote Systems Inc., Newark, Delaware (undated)
	Probe XL Brochure, AutoTote Systems, Inc., Newark, Delaware (undated)

EXAMINER

/Nga Nguyen/ (06/21/2008)

DATE CONSIDERED

EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP § 609; Draw line through citation if not conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicants.

ALL REFERENCES CONSIDERED EXCEPT WHERE LINED THROUGH. /N.N./